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### ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Committee held a meeting on May 23, 2016 at 4:30 p.m., in Conference Room A, Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, DE.

**PRESENT:** Cindy Cunningham, PMHCNS/NP; Sandy Elliott, CNM; Maryanne Holzapfel, RPh;

Leena Paul, MD; Megan Williams, FNP

ABSENT: Delphos Price, CRNA; Manisha Wadhwa, MD

**GUESTS:** 

**PRESIDING:** Megan Williams, DNP, FNP-C

**STAFF:** Peggy Mack, PhD, APRN, Executive Director - Division of Professional Regulation;

Jennifer L. Singh, Deputy Attorney General, Delaware Department of Justice

**1.0 CALL TO ORDER:** Dr. Williams called the meeting to order at 4:35 p.m.

## 2.0 Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes

Minutes of the May 16, 2016 meeting were reviewed. Dr. Paul moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Ms. Elliott; the motion passed unanimously.

#### 3. 0 Old Business

- 3.1 Review Draft Rules and Regulations
- 3.1.1. Discuss competencies, benchmarks, and metrics Ms. Singh reported that the proposed nursing regulations for APRNS will be published in the June Register of Regulations: <a href="http://regulations.delaware.gov/services/register.shtml">http://regulations.delaware.gov/services/register.shtml</a>. The Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed regulation change on July 13, 2016 at 9:30 a.m., Second Floor Conference Room A, Cannon Building, 861 Silver Lake Blvd., Dover, DE 19904.

#### 4.0 Other Business

The APRN Committee has two physician vacancies, to be filled by the Board of Medicine.

5.0 New Business - none

6.0 Public Comment - none

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7.0 Next Meeting Date -August 15<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm

**8.0 Adjournment** – 5:05 pm

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Respectfully Submitted,

Peggy Mack, PhD, APRN, PMHCNS, Executive Director, Board of Nursing